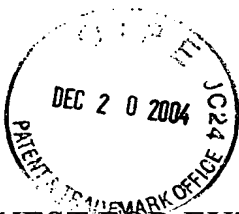


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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
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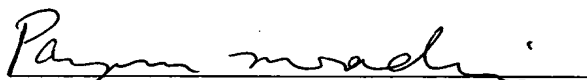
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Applicant respectfully requests a five-month extension of time in which to respond to the Notice of Appeal filed May 18, 2004, for which a response was due on July 18, 2004. The extended period expires on December 20, 2004 since December 18, 2004 falls on a Saturday.

1. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) extension fee of **\$2,160.00** to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon**, deposit account number **11-0600**. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 11-0600.
2. A duplicate copy of this form is enclosed.

Dated: December 20, 2004

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